



COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

PTO/SB/21 (08-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

MP  
*[Signature]*

## TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

	Application Number	10/076,915	
	Filing Date	02/14/2002	
	First Named Inventor	Tonkovich	
	Group Art Unit	nya	
Examiner Name	nya		
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	39	Attorney Docket Number	13007B

### ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached  <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment / Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request  <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request  <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement  <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (for an Application)
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers
	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition
	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application
	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address
	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer
	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund
	<input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____
	Remarks

After Allowance Communication  
to Group  
 Appeal Communication to Board  
of Appeals and Interferences  
 Appeal Communication to Group  
(Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)  
 Proprietary Information  
 Status Letter  
 Other Enclosure(s) (please  
identify below):

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT	
Firm or Individual name	Frank Rosenberg
Signature	<i>Frank Rosenberg</i>
Date	07/15/2002

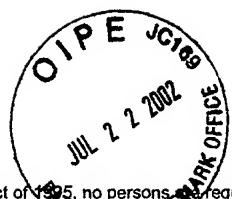
### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on this date:

15 July 2002

Typed or printed name	Esmeralda Mestizo		
Signature	<i>E. Mestizo</i>	Date	July 15, 2002

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.



COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

PTO/SB/17 (10-01)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

*Patent fees are subject to annual revision.*

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\\$) 400.00
-------------------------	--------------

*Complete if Known*

Application Number	10/076,915
Filing Date	02/14/2002
First Named Inventor	Tonkovich
Examiner Name	nya
Group Art Unit	nya
Attorney Docket No.	13007B

## METHOD OF PAYMENT

- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:  
Deposit Account Number **50-1749**  
Deposit Account Name **Frank Rosenberg**
- Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) **(\\$)**

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
		-20** =	<b>[ ]</b>	<b>[ ]</b>
		- 3** =	<b>[ ]</b>	<b>[ ]</b>
			<b>[ ]</b>	<b>[ ]</b>

### Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description		
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) **(\\$)**

*\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above*

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	400.00
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) _____					
*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid					SUBTOTAL (3) <b>(\\$)</b> 400.00

## SUBMITTED BY

Complete (if applicable)

Name (Print/Type)	Frank Rosenberg	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	37,068	Telephone	925-376-8416
Signature	<i>Frank Rosenberg</i>			Date	07/15/2002

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.



OIF  
JUL 22 2002  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

Page 1 of 1

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231  
[www.uspto.gov](http://www.uspto.gov)

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
10/076,915	02/14/2002	Anna Lee Tonkovich	13007B

**CONFIRMATION NO. 1868**

Frank S. Rosenberg  
18 Echo Hill Lane  
Moraga, CA 94556

**FORMALITIES LETTER**



\*OC000000008418447\*

Date Mailed: 07/09/2002

**NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)**

***Filing Date Granted***

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 05/31/2002 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 03/13/2002 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

*AG*

Customer Service Center  
Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202  
PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: ) Art Unit: not yet assigned  
Tonkovich et al. ) ) Examiner: not yet assigned  
Serial No: 10/076,915 ) )  
Filed: February 14, 2002 ) )  
For: METHODS OF MAKING DEVICES ) File No: 13007B  
BY STACKING SHEETS AND )  
PROCESSES OF CONDUCTING UNIT )  
OPERATIONS USING SUCH DEVICES )

REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are replacement drawings as required in the Notice To File Missing Parts.

Respectfully submitted,

15 July 2002  
Date

Frank S. Rosenberg  
Reg. No. 37,068

Frank S. Rosenberg  
18 Echo Hill Lane  
Moraga, CA 94556  
Tel. (925) 376-8416  
Fax: (925) 376-8429